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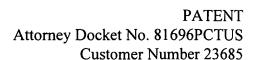
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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In response to an Office action dated November 19, 2007, it is kindly requested that the above-identified patent application be reconsidered in view of the remarks below.

There are no Amendments to the Specification in this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.